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Box PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Our Ref: 381KA/50358

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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entitled: VEHICULAR ALTERNATOR

Enclosed are:

1. Specification, including 9 claims (pages 1-41).
2. 8 Sheet(s) of X Formal _____ Informal drawings showing Figs. 1-14.
3. X Declaration and Power of Attorney (executed/5 pages).
4. Assignment of the invention to Hitachi, Ltd., with cover sheet.
5. Certified copy of Priority Document 2001-053017 filed in Japan on 27 February 2001, the priority of which is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55.
6. X Information Disclosure Statement.
7. Preliminary Amendment.
8. The filing fee has been calculated after entry of Preliminary Amendment as shown below:

Basic Fee		\$355/710 = \$710.00
Total Claims	<u>9</u> - 20 = <u>0</u>	<u>x</u> <u>\$ 9/18</u> = <u>\$</u>
Independent Claims	<u>2</u> - 3 = <u>0</u>	<u>x</u> <u>\$40/80</u> = <u>\$</u>
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented		\$135/270 = <u>\$</u>
Total Filing Fee		<u>\$710.00</u>

Checks in the amount of \$ 710.00 for X filing fee and \$ 40.00 for X assignment recording fee are enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #381KA/50358). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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